

New Haven, Conn. 29/1882

Dear sir,

Yrs truly

J. C. Allen

I have received your letter & return thanks for the information contained. I did not find any *Juncus* related to *effusus*. The spruces were about the ~~height~~ of a man, and on ~~rocky~~ ground. The *Poetes* grew near the shore of a small pond with gravelly or stony bottom, about 2 or $2\frac{1}{2}$ feet deep so as to be rather hard to get out by reaching with the arm. It did ~~not~~ grow so closely as to resemble meadows nor did I notice that it occurred in patches, but it might be called gregarious about as distant as I have ^{var.} commonly seen an *Poetes* *echinospora*



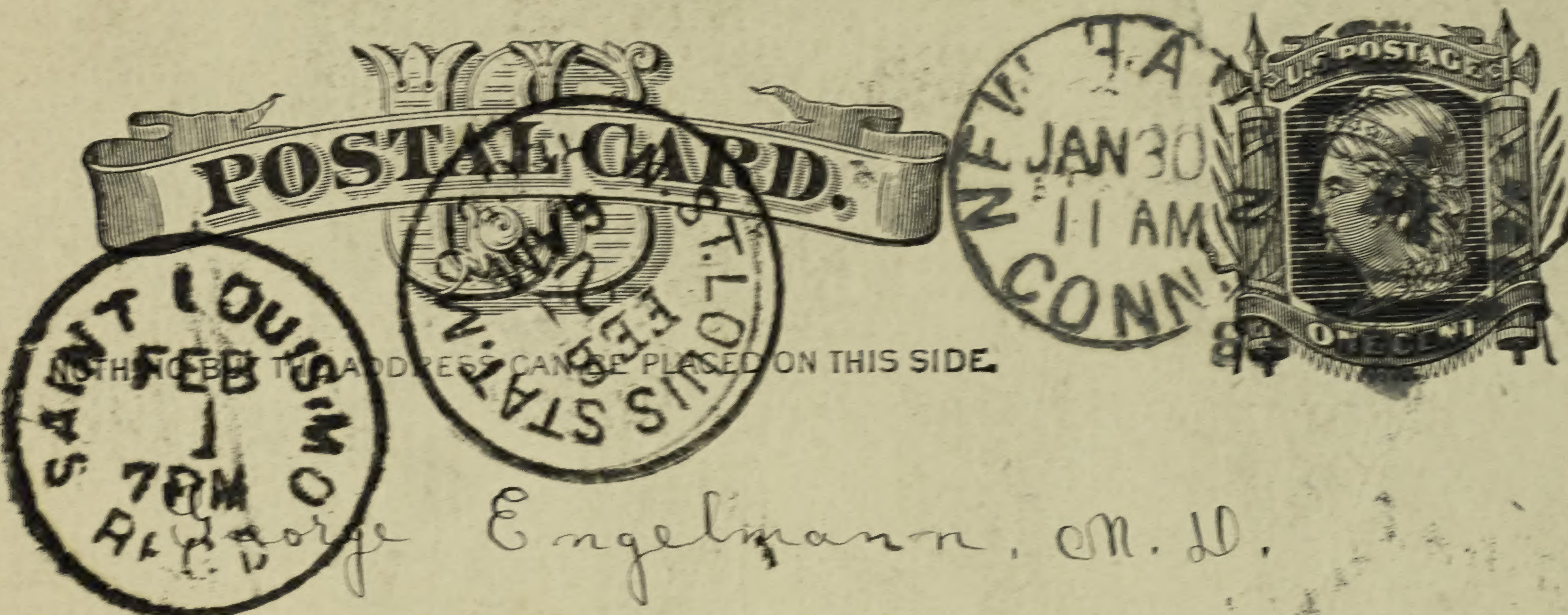
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Dear Sir,

Roots suberized?
size of fronds?

The numbered labels enclosed correspond to a package of plants which I send by mail.

I would consider it a favor if you could find time to name the undetermined spruce and *Juncus*. The cones of the spruce were collected ^{abn. 2} attached to the tree, but nearly all shook off before it was pressed.

In the specimen of *A. nigra* ³ which I send the cones remain attached. The *Juncus* ¹ is *triglumis* usually 2-flowered like *beglinis* but has auriculate sheath ² like *triglumis*. It differs from the description of both by its acuteish sepals longer than the



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capsule, but perhaps that is
not well developed.

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Yours truly
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